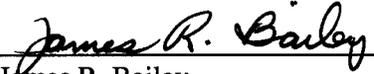


**Finding of Suitability to Lease
Approximately 1 Acres of Land
At Naval Auxiliary Landing Field, Fentress
To Department of Commerce, NOAA
By NAS Oceana**

In accordance with ASN I&E Memorandum of 22 December 1993, I have reviewed the Environmental Baseline Survey Checklist and other related appropriate information concerning this property.

Approximately 1 acre of land in the vicinity of the barracks and tennis courts at Naval Auxiliary Landing Field, Fentress is suitable to lease to NOAA to use for a communication station for offshore surveying. The site is an area unused by the present day NALF Fentress and has been unused for more than 25 years and this use will have no impact on current operations.

Hazardous substances or petroleum products have not been stored for one year or more or known to have been released, treated or disposed of on the parcel.



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Date